

Chambers of Senior Judge Cornelia G. Kennedy

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Cornelia G. Kennedy

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923
Education: Michigan 1945 BA, 1947 JD
Began Service: September 26, 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Harold M. Stephens, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (1947-1948)

Government: Member, Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution (1987-1991)

Judicial: Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit (1966-1970); Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (1970-1979)

Legal Practice: Associate, Elmer H. Groefsema (1948-1952); Partner, Markle & Markle (1952-1966)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; American Judicature Society; American Law Institute of Michigan; American Trial Lawyers Association; Detroit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; National Association of Women Lawyers; Women Judges' Fund for Justice

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Ralph B. Guy, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929
Education: Michigan 1951 AB, 1953 JD
Began Service: October 17, 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Assistant Corporation Counsel, City of Dearborn, Michigan (1955-1958); Corporation Counsel, City of Dearborn, Michigan (1958-1969); Chief Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, United States Department of Justice (1969-1970); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, United States Department of Justice (1970-1976)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Eastern Michigan (1976-1985)

Legal Practice: Partner, Guy & Guy (1954-1955)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Cincinnati Bar Association; Dearborn Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; State Bar of Michigan

Staff

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James L. Ryan

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932
Education: Detroit 1956 LLB
Began Service: 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Justice of the Peace, Redford Township (1963-1966); Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit (1966-1975); Justice, Michigan Supreme Court (1975-1985)

Legal Practice: Waldron, Brennan & Maher (1960-1962); Private Practice (1962-1966)

Military Service: United States Navy (1957-1960); United States Naval Reserve (1960-1992)

Current Memberships: American Judicature Society; Detroit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Naval Reserve Lawyers Association; State Bar of Michigan

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Alan E. Norris

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935
Education: Otterbein 1957 BA; NYU 1960 LLB; Virginia 1986 LLM
Began Service: 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Instructor, Otterbein College (1976-1980)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Kingsley A. Taft, Ohio Supreme Court (1960-1961)

Government: City Prosecutor, City of Westerville, Ohio (1962-1966); State Representative (R-OH), Ohio House of Representatives (1967-1980)

Judicial: Judge, Ohio Court of Appeals (1981-1986)

Legal Practice: Vorys, Sater, Seymour & Pease (1961-1962); Partner, Metz, Bailey, Norris & Spicer (1962-1980)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Columbus Bar Association; Institute of Judicial Administration; Ohio State Bar Association

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Richard F. Suhrheinrich

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936
Education: Wayne State 1960 BS; Detroit Law 1963 JD
Began Service: August 1990
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Academic: Associate Professor, Detroit College of Law (1975-1985)

Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge J. Vincent Aug, Jr.

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J. Vincent Aug, Jr.

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Georgetown 1968 BA; Cincinnati 1973 JD
Began Service: 1989
Term Expires: 2016

Government: Staff Attorney, Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation (1973-1974)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge (1976-1988)

Legal Practice: Partner, Nieman, Aug, Elder & Jacobs (1974-1976)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Jennie D. Latta

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: January 9, 1961
Education: Memphis State 1981 BA, 1986 JD
Began Service: January 1, 2003
Term Expires: December 31, 2006

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Tennessee

Staff

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Mary Ann Whipple

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Michigan 1977 AB; Stanford 1981 JD

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Ohio

Legal Practice: Attorney, Fuller & Henry, LTD (1981-2001)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Ohio State Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan; Toledo Bar Association

Chambers of Senior Judge Richard F. Suhrheinrich continued

Government: Assistant Prosecutor, County of Macomb, Michigan (1967-1968)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (1984-1990)

Legal Practice: Associate, Moll, Desenberg, Purdy, Glover & Bayer (1963-1967); Partner, Rogensues, Ricard & Suhrheinrich (1967); Associate, Moll, Desenberg, Purdy, Glover & Bayer (1967-1968); Partner, Kitch, Suhrheinrich, Saurbier & Drutchas (1968-1984)

Current Memberships: Ingham County Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan

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Eugene E. Siler, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936
Education: Vanderbilt 1958 BA; Virginia 1963 LLB; Georgetown 1964 LLM; Virginia 1995 LLM
Began Service: September 17, 1991
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Attorney, Whitley County, Kentucky (1965-1970); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, United States Department of Justice (1970-1975)

Judicial: United States District Judge, United States District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky (1975-1991)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1964-1970)

Military Service: United States Navy (1958-1960); United States Naval Reserve (1961-1983)

Current Memberships: District of Columbia Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Virginia State Bar

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